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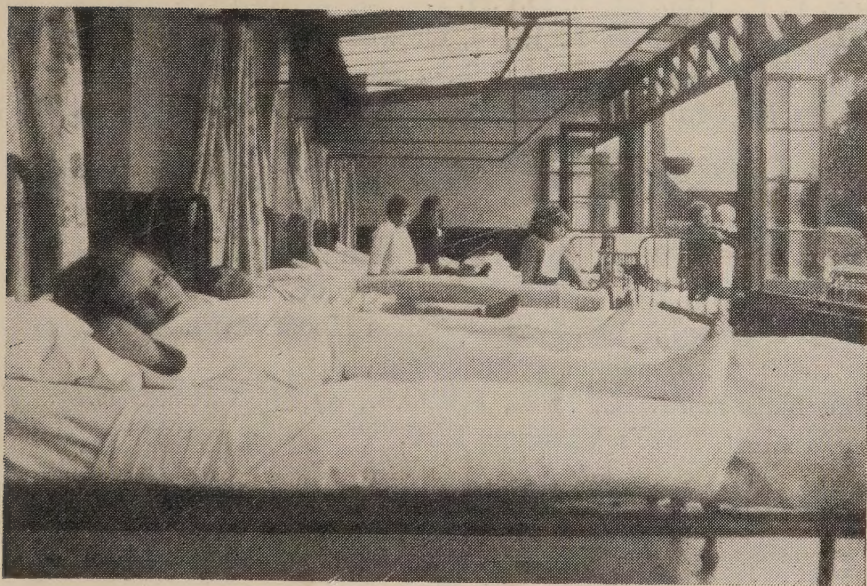
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*Report and  
Statement of Accounts*

Jan. 1, 1946 to Dec. 31, 1946



THE HOSPITAL  
BALAAM STREET, PLAISTOW E.13



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# *Foreword*

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TODAY we should be returning to normality; but, instead of the quiet normal progress which we had anticipated, we find ourselves—in company with the rest of the nation—hedged round with restrictions and obstacles, unforeseen in those far-off, happy pre-war days. Sheets, towels, repairs, decorations, replacements of every kind, have either disappeared from our markets, or else soared to price heights of fantastic dimensions. Where we had hoped to have expanded and increased our work, without undue demands upon the Hospital exchequer, we now find ourselves forced to appeal to your generosity, although we know how great are the many domestic demands upon your purse. The demands too, are heavy upon our aid—there will always be sick children, however ‘organised’ and ‘planned’ the Brave New World may be—and sick children make an appeal which for most of us, I think that I may write for all of us, is irresistible. On that note I will conclude this brief foreword. May the children speak to you themselves—they have no need for any words of mine!

*Reginald Furness, Esq.*



# ANNUAL REPORT

THE Invalid and Crippled Children's Society has much pleasure in submitting the Annual Report of its work done during 1946. It again desires to offer sincere thanks to its many friends and subscribers as well as to its Surgical and Medical Staff, including Dr. Eva Morton, the Honorary Sunlight Physician. We are again indebted to Mr. Ryland of the Saint Club, for his continued interest and support, and above all to King Edward's Hospital Fund for London for their unfailing help.

The Hospital is slowly regaining ground after its closure during the war years—we have an efficient, sympathetic and hard-working staff, including the nursing staff, co-operating under the guidance of Matron Miss M. Foste. A Resident Medical Officer has been appointed, Dr. Mary Shaw M.B.B.S., whom we welcome. Already it has been possible for a number of casualties to be admitted—we wish more local practitioners would avail themselves of our beds for their sick child patients and thus increase her and our general usefulness.

The Society has appointed a Matron, Miss F. Stone, to be in charge of the Sunshine Home, Shoeburyness. We are looking forward to reopening soon but necessary repair work after its occupation by troops during the war is taking time with all the problems of shortage of materials. Much of the furniture was lent to W.V.S. in Cambridgeshire for the use of evacuated children and must now be renovated or restored, as must the linen and stocks of children's clothing. It is difficult and expensive but must be done if we are to help back to complete health the many children on our waiting list. May we in conclusion appeal once again to our friends for their continued interest and support in all branches of the Society's work done in the Hospital and the Sunshine Home.

EDITH M. MILLNS



INVALID AND CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S SOCIETY  
BALANCE SHEET as at 31st DECEMBER 1946

LIABILITIES			ASSETS		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
1. SUNDRY CREDITORS—			1. CASH AT BANK AND IN HAND—		
Hospital	690	2 11	Hospital	172	2 7
General	247	7 5	General	901	0 9
2. COT ENDOWMENT FUND—			2. SUNDRY DEBTORS—		
Horace Harrington Nelson			Hospital	1,657	13 8
3. BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT FUNDS—			General	368	17 0
Hospital	7,104	16 3	3. INVESTMENTS—		
Sunshine Home	11,042	13 1	£963 12s. 6d. 3½% CON- VERSION LOAN, at Cost.	800	0 0
			£500 3% Savings Bonds		
4. INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT—			1960/70, at Cost.	500	0 0
Balance as at 1st January, 1946	1,636	3 9	4. BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT at Cost, as at 1st January, 1946		
Deduct: Excess of Expenditure over Income for the year	764	8 0	Hospital	6,258	17 11
			Sunshine Home	11,042	13 1
			Less: Amount received during the year from Eastern Command, for dilapidations at the Sunshine Home	944	9 7

EDITH M. MILLNS }  
DOROTHEA OLIVER }  
Members of Executive Committee

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Invalid and Crippled Children's Society as at 31st December 1946, set forth above. We have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. The Conversion Loan is held in the names of Sir Reginald Kennedy-Cox and Mr. Herbert Clift Ryland, as Trustees on behalf of the Society. In our opinion the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Society's affairs according to the best of our information and explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Society.

London. 28th April 1947.

HUGH MACRAE & Co., Auditors, Chartered Accountants.

# INVALID AND CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

## INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT for the year ended 31st December 1946

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# INVALID AND CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S SOCIETY'S HOSPITAL

## BALANCE SHEET as at 31st DECEMBER 1946

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1. SUNDRY CREDITORS—		1. CASH AT BANK AND IN HAND—	
(1) General Fund . . .	690 2 11	On Account of—	
2. LOANS TO HOSPITAL—		(d) General Fund . . .	172 2 7
General Fund, from Building and Equipment Fund . . .	845 18 4	2. SUNDRY DEBTORS—	
3. CAPITAL ACCOUNTS—		General Fund . . .	1,883 8 7
(c) Building and Equipment Funds—		4. INTERNAL LOANS—	
Balance as at 1st January 1946 . . .	6,904 16 3	Building and Equipment Funds to General Fund	845 18 4
Add Grant from King Edward's Hospital Fund towards cost of reopening wards 200 0 0	7,104 16 3	5. INVESTMENTS—	
		(d) General Fund—	
		£500 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70 at Cost (Market Value as at 31st December 1946, £546 5s. od.) .	500 0 0





# INVALID AND CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S SOCIETY'S HOSPITAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT for the Year to 31st DECEMBER 1946

(See also Legacies Account below)

INCOME				EXPENDITURE			
ORDINARY				ORDINARY			
I. VOLUNTARY GIFTS—				I. PROVISIONS			
1. Subscriptions, Donations, etc.:				II. SURGERY AND DISPENSARY—			
Annual Subscriptions	£	s.	d.	1. Drugs, Chemicals, Disinfectants, etc.	£	s.	d.
Donations		25	13 0	2. Dressings, Bandages, etc.	46	2	9
Box Collections		1,178	8 1	3. Instruments and Appliances	66	18	6
Entertainments		9	3 9	4. Wines and Spirits	35	3	0
Gifts in Kind		31	12 10	5. Salaries and Wages of Dispensing Staff	—	—	—
Other Voluntary Gifts		—	—	6. Sundries	—	—	—
		—	1,244 17 8				148 4 3
2. Central Funds:				III. DOMESTIC—			
King Edward's Hospital Fund	100	0	0	1. Renewal and Repair of Furniture, Bedding, Crockery, etc.	139	18	7
Hospital Sunday Fund	50	0	0	2. Laundry	80	7	9
	—	150	0 0	3. Cleaning and Chandlery	16	16	2
		—	1,394 17 8	4. Water	9	1	9
II. RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES RENDERED—				5. Fuel, Lighting, Heat and Power	271	8	0
1. Contributions on Account of Services to Patients:				6. Uniforms	74	8	0
(a) From Patients and their Societies:				7. Sundries	10	10	3
Patients.		17	0				602 10 6

## *Summary of work done in 1946*

Admissions to Hospital (Nov.-Dec.)	.	.	.	206	901
Operations (Nov.-Dec.)	.	.	.	201	818
Out-Patient Attendances:					
Ear, Nose and Throat (Nov.-Dec.)				56	
Orthopædic	.	.	.	508	485
Massage and Electrical Treatments	.			6,088	5834
Artificial Sunlight	.	.	.	4,094	4445
				—10,746	
Children Convalesced	.	.	.	74	
Surgical Instruments Supplied	.	.	.	49	

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*Physician to Light Department:* EVA MORTON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

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